

To W. L. Garrison.

Hopedale, Milford Oct. 23, 1860.

187 Esteemed Friend,

In behalf of the friends in Hopedale, I cordially invite you to attend the dedication of our new meeting house, on Thursday, the 15th of November. There will be three sessions, commencing at 10 A.M., 2 P.M. and 6 1/2 P.M. There will be religious services, sacred music, prayers, discourses, addresses &c, in accordance with our customs here, and the spontaneous free utterance of our invited friends. You will be expected to speak more largely on the occasion, in the evening especially if not before, as you may feel moved. Mrs. Garrison is also invited to come with you, and the travelling expenses of both will be paid.

Yours fraternally,

In behalf Committee Arrangements

Adin Ballou.











